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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION  
OF TIME PURSUANT TO  
37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Docket Number:  
**10191/1376**

Application Number  
**09/554,041**

Filing Date  
**October 12, 2000**

Examiner  
**Kaj OLSEN**

Art Unit  
**1744**

Invention Title  
**PROBE FOR DETERMINING THE  
OXYGEN CONCENTRATION IN A GAS  
MIXTURE**

Inventor:  
**Martin LENFERS et al.**

Assistant Commissioner  
for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time in  
which to respond to the office action dated December 7, 2001, for which  
a response period expiring on March 7, 2002 was set. The extended  
period expires on April 7, 2002.

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the  
37 C.F.R. § 1.136 extension fee of **\$110.00** to the Deposit Account of  
**Kenyon & Kenyon**, Deposit Account number **11-0600**. The office is also  
authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit overpayments, associated  
with this paper to Deposit Account **11-0600**.

2. A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.

Dated: March 15, 2002

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